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AMENDMENT

Customer Service Window Honorable Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Randolph Building 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, Virginia 22314

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of **December 4, 2008**, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.